Established February.

### Intimations.

# BY APPOINTMENT.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Limited, (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)

HE HONGKONG DISPENSAUY, HONGKONG.

Wholesale and Retail Druggists. ANALYTI JAL. FAMILY, DISPENSING AN GENERAL CHEMISTS. . PERFUMERS.PATENT MEDICINE PROPRIETORS.

SEEDSMEN. WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS. MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED WATERS By STRAM MACHINERY.

CIGAR IMPORTERS, &c., &c. In submitting an abridged Synopsis of a few of the chief lines of goods included in our business, we beg to state that we import Drugs. Chemicals, and Goods of every kind of the best description only -no other quality is kept in

Our long experience and intimate acquaintance with the Trade, and the best sources of supply, enable its to purchase direct from the Producers on the very best terms, and thus give us un advantage which enables us to offer our constituents the benefit of a considerable reduction in the price of all our Specialties as compared with similar articles sold elsewhere. IN- We wish it to be clearly understood that our prices cannot be beaten by any other firm in the Colony; and we trust it will soon become generally known that, quality for quality, our charges all round compare farminabl with local rates, and in most instances with those riding at home.

Experienced qualified English Assistants ONLY are employed in the preparation and dispensing of Med cines. Analysis of all Kinds. - Wearein a position to well attend to the interests of our Clients.

FAMILY & DOMESTIC MEDICINES, AND OTHER GOODS AND APPLIANCES KEPT IN STOCK.

NURSERY AND INVALIDS' REQUISITES.

Infants' Feeding Bottles, Ditto Brushes and Teats, Food Warmers, Lamps, and Night lights.

Invalids' Feeding Cups and Tubes. Breast Relievers, Nipple Shields, Violet Powder, Puff Boxes, and Puffs. Infants' Food of all kinds. BRAND's Essence of Boof, Mutton, Chicken, Veal, &c.

LIEBIC'S Extract of Beef. VALENTINE'S Moat Juice. Condensed Milk, Corn Flour, Bermuda Arrowroot, Russian Isinglass, Propared Groats, Genuine Mustard, &c.

MEDICAL AND DOMESTIC APPLIANCES, &c. olera Belts, Metal and Earthenware

Bea Pans, Disinfectants and Medicated Toilet Papers, Fumigating Pastilles, Vaporizors, &c., &c., Southall's Sanitary Towels for Ladies'

Ear and Enema Syringes, Bougies, Catheters, Pessaries, Trusses, Elastic Silk Stockings, Knoo Caps, Anklets, Wristlets, and Bandages of all kinds. Urinals, Male or Female, in Glass, Earthenware, and Ind:a Rubber.

Water-proof Sheating. Ice Bags for Head and Spine. Bronchitis Kettles, Hot Water Bottles. Chest and Lung Protectors. Adhesive Plaster, Court Ditto. Corn and Bunion Plasters. Linb, Oiled Silk, Gutta Percha Tissue. Japanese Hot Boxes, Air Cashions.

Mustard Leaves, Spongio Piline. Linseed Meal for Poultices, Poultice Bags, &c., &c. Minim Measures, Medicine Glasses and Spoons, Champagne and Soda Water Taps. Seltzogenes, &c.

Eye Baths, Droppers and Douches. Throat Sprays, Inhalers and Insuffators, Stethoscopes, Hypodermic Syringes.

THERMOMETERS, &:. Ohemical, Clinical, and Bath Thermome

Six's Minimum and Maximum Ther mometers. Alcoholometers, Barometers, Galvauometers, Hydrometers, Lactometers, Urinometers, Specific Gravity Bottles, Flasks, Test Tubes, Test Papers, &c., &c.

SUN SPECTACLES AND GOGGLES with Blue, Green, and Smoked Glasses, Eye Preservers and Shades of all kinds.

DENTAL AND SURGICAL INSTRU-

Ear Cornets, and Trumpets, Conversa tion Tubes, Corn Knives and Rabbers, Camel Hair Pencils, Ligature Catgut, Silver Wire, Practitioners' Knives and Scissors. Pocket Dressing Cases and Instruments. Probange, Respirators, Dispensing Scales and Weights.

MEDICINE CHESTS. Medicine Chests for family and travellers' Ships' Medicine Chests fitted in accordance with the regulations of the Board of

Medicine Chests refitted complete at a few hours' notice. Medicine Chest Guides containing a list of useful Domestic Medicines with their

Properties and Doses. ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES. Maynoto-Electric Machines for the Cure

of Nervous Diseases, Neuralgia, Rheuma-Electric Hair Brushes for preventing or postage paid.

Electropathic Belts for Dyspepsia, Rhenmatism. Lumbego, &c. Electric Bella, Bitteries, Pushes, Inors, Wire, and appliances generally.

OMEOPATHIC MEDICINES. We slyave have on hand a varied assortment of those kinds in most general de-

VACCINE.

We import regular supplies of Pure Fresh Calf Lymph by every Mail from England. Vaccine Lancets, and Vaccination Shields.

WATER FILTERS. SILIDATED CARBON FILTER CO.'S AND Mawson & Swan's (Patent) In Glass and Terra Cotta for Table use. Earthenware for ordinary Domestic Pur-Poses. Pocket Filters for Travellers.

#### Intimations.

TOILET REQUISITES. Joseph Rodgers & Sons' "Sheffield" Rozors, Scissors, and Ponknives. Razor Strops, Paste, and Paper. Ear, Too h, and Nail Picks and Trim-

Hand Mirrors. Toilet Sets. Smelling Bottles of all kinds. Glove, and Patent Drying Bottles. Dressing Combs. Hair, Tooth, Nail, Bath, and Shaving Brushes in great variety. Cosmetiques, Hair Lotions and Pomades. Tooth Pastes, Powders, and Soaps. Turco Bath Gloves, and Strape, Loolahy, Fine Turkey C to and Honey Comb.

Periume Spray Diffusers. An Elegant Assortment of various designs. CHOICE PERFUMERY. English, French, and American. A large selection of-all killing stant

Bath and Toilet Sponges of all sizes.

SOAPS. Family, Toilet, Medicated, and Tran-In addition to those of our own make, all of which we can confidently recommend. we keep a large and varied assortment of

stock to choose from.

the following well-known makes, viz :-Atkinson's, Calvert's, Colgate's, Hendrio's, Lubin's, Pear's, &c., &c. GENUINE PATENT MEDICINES. European and American Patent Medicines, Specialities, and Proprietary Reme-

dies, imported direct from the Original Makers or their appointed Agents. Special Agents for Burroughs, Wellcome & Co.'s New and Popular Remedies. Kopler's Extract of Malt-Ditto with Cod Liver Oil. Wyeth's Tabloids-and Preparations of all kinds.

Fairchild's Digestive Peptonoids, Zymine, Sole Agents for Scott's Emulsion of Cod HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

MINERAL WATERS OF ALL KINDS Apollinaris, Carisbad, Æsculap, Friedrichshall, Hunyadi Janos, Pulins, Vals, Vichy, &c. We import direct shipments of all the above regularly at short intervals.

PHOTOGRAPHIC GOODS. Photographic Apparatus, Chemicals, and Materials of all kinds suitable for Amateurs and Professionals, including Cameras, Lenses, Baths, Trays, Lamps, Mounts, &c. Our Cameras and Lenses are of Exceptional quality, specially made for use in tropical climates and fitted with all the

latest improvemen a. CHEAP SETS OF APPARATUS FOR AMATEURS AND TRAVELLERS. Three sizes, viz. : 1, 1, and whole plate. Complete in strong Wood PHOTO CHEMICALS AND SUNDRIES of all

kinds at Moderate Prices. Albumenized and Sensitized Papers. Thomas' Collodion and Iodizer. DRY PLATES-Thomas', Liford, and Wrat tan & Waiowright's kept in Stock. Price list of Photo. goods supplied gratis

and post free on application. FLOWER & VEGETABLE SEEDS. We import the newest and best varieties obtainable every season direct from the best growers in England, France, and Germany.

Full Catalogue and price list (with ' Flints for Gardening') to be had on application. AERATED WATERS.

Our Factory has been recently refitted with automatic Steam Machinery of the latest and most approved kind, and we are well able to compete in quality with the best English Makers. The purest ingredients only are used, and

the utmost care and cleanliness are exercised in the manufacture throughout. FOR COAST PORTS-Waters are packed and placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages & Empties when received in good

Analytica! Reports and full particulars to be had on appl cation.

WINES AND SPIRITS. We invite attention to our fine old landed Brands, all of which are of excellent quality and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our day of February, both days inclusive.

London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselver, thus enabling us to supply the best growths at moderate prices. Price list to be had on application.

MANILA CIGARS AND CHEROOTS. A carefully-selected and well-matured stock of most of the best makes and our own special brands always on haud. We can deliver boxes of 500 or more to any address in England, duty and all expenses paid.

CIGARETTES. We import direct shipments of the following favourité Brands regularly at short in-Sweet Caporal, Richmond Gem, and Old

TOBACCO. IN TINE AND PACKETS. Pipes, Cigar and Cigarette Tubes, Cigar

and Cigarette Cases, Pouches, Cigarette Machines, and a varied assortment of Smokers' Requisites,

GOODS FOR COAST PORTS, Whenever practicable, are desputched by first steamer leaving after receipt of order. Most articles can now be sent by the local Parcel Pest. All retail orders of the value of five dollars and upwards are sent freight Orders through Local Post or by Tele- quested to apply for WARBANTS. gram receive prompt attention.

Addressed Envelopes Order Forms, and Aerated Water Counterfoils supplied free on application. A. S. WATSON & Co., LD. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

HUNGKONG. BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THE SHANGBAI PHARMACY, SHANGHAI 24, Nankin Road. BUTICA INGLEZA, MANILA, Escolta, 14. THE CANTON DISTERBARY, CANTON,

Canal Road. THE DISPESSARY, FOOCHOW. THE DISPESSARY, HANKOW. THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN. LONDON OFFICE, 106, Fenchurch Street, E.C.

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BANK HOLIDAYS.

HE Undermentioned BANKS will

and FRIDAY, the 27th and 28th Instant. India, London and China, C. F. ROWBAND,

tralia and China T. H. WHITEHEAD,

Fine English Cut-glass Toilet Bottles and For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,' G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager.

> H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Comptoir National d'Escompto de Paris CHANTREY INCHBALD,

Hongkong, February 26, 1890 - 375

TTACK RACE-Presented by the Hong-TI RONG JOCKEY CLUB, value \$100; Entrance \$5, to go to the Second Pony, -for all China Ponies, owned by Members of the Hongkong Jockey or Polo Clubs, not otherwise entered at this meeting; to be ridden by residents of Hongkong. Weight, RACING. COLORS. 11 stone 7th. To Close-27th February, at

E. H. GORE-BOOTH, Clerk of the Course.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

Secretary. 🐃

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

March, at 3.30 o'Clock p.m.

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, February 25, 1890.

WAI LOONG, COMPRADORE

at the shortest Notice. No. 3. VICTORIA STREET, CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY,

LIMITED. ary Annual MEETING of SHARE-The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

Secretary.

LIMITED.

of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Hono-KONG HOTEL on THURSDAY, the 6th for the Meeting. For Admission to Grand March, at 12.30 p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1889. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSHD from the 24th Instant to ary Treasurer. No one admitted without

Hongkong, February 19, 1190 THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Year ending Slat December last, at the Rate of £1.10/, together with a BONUS of 10/ per SHARE of \$125, are PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, the 24th day of February current, at the OFFICES of the Corporation, where Shareholders are re-By Order of the Court of Directors,

G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager, Hongkong, February 22, 1890.

THE TRUST & LOAN COMPANY OF CHINA, JAPAN & STRAITS, LIMITED.

THE SECOND CALL of TEN SHIL-LINGS per Share is Payable here on the 6th March. SHAREHOLDERS will please pay respective Amounts due from them to the Under-

WAL H. FORBES, For the Local Committee. Hongkong, February 7, 1890.

#### Business Notices.

HONGKONG RACES. CLOSED for the Transaction of

Public Business, at Noon, TO-MORROW For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of

Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Aus-

For the 'New Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited.

Agent, Hongkong.

FOURTH DAY'S RACES.

Hongkong, Fobruary 24, 1890.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND of 5%, being \$6.25 L per Share, for the Six Months ended Sist December, 1889, declared at Monday's Ordinary Yearly Meeting, will be Payable. at the Premises of the Hongkong AND Shanghai Banking Corporation, on and after TUESDAY, the 25th Instant, and SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply for DIVIDEND WARRANTS at the Company's OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central.

By Order of the Board of Directors, DAVID GILLIES,

Hongkong, February 25, 1890.

SPOON COMPETITION. Position any. Former penalties with-

A. SHELTON HOOPER.

GENERAL DEALER.

DEST PROVISIONS SUPPLIED

Hongkong, February 24, 1890.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the Ordin-HOLDERS will take place at the Hongkong Ho EL on FRIDAY, the 28th of February, 1890, at 4 o'Clock, to receive the Report and Statement of the Accounts of the Company to the 31st of December, 1889. will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 28th

J. FOREMAN. Hongkong, February 12, 1890.

CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY,

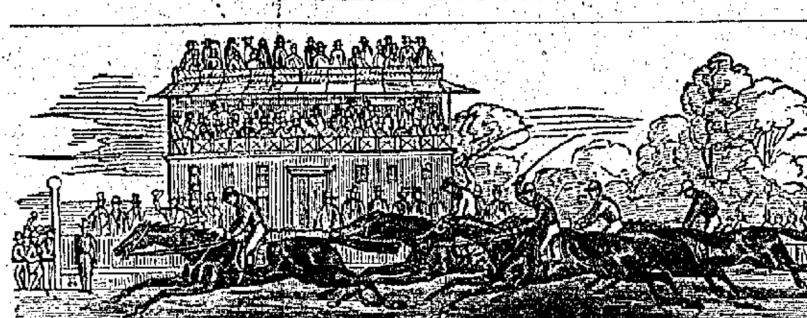
THE First Ordinary Yearly MEETING

the 6th March, both days inclusive. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents in Hongkong & China.

BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

signed.



FOR SALE.

DACING SADDLES, JOCKEY WHIPS, PRIDLES, REINS, HARNESS, SADDLERY AND STABLE REQUISITES

RACING COLOURS, RACING SCARVES AND FAVOURS. NEW FELT AND SILK HATS. RIDING BOOTS, JOCKEY BOOTS, RACING TOPS.

OF ALL KINDS.

AYALA & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

### Hongkong, February 10, 1890. Tailors. Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters.

NEW TILSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES. CHESTERFIELD and COVERT COATS. CHEVIOT and SAXONY SUITINGS. STYLISH TROUSERINGS. RIDING BREECHES.

LADIES' HABITS.

LADIES' JACKETS.

GOODS. NEW FELT HATS (latest styles). DRAB SHELL HATS. Single and Double TERAL HATS. BOOTS and SHOES. GENT'S DRESS SHIRTS. GENT'S UNDERCLOTHING TRAVELLING RUGS and MAUDS. GLADSTONE BAGS. PORTMANTEAUS.

# LADIES' ULSTERS.

NIEW COLOURED FELT HATS. NEW SINGLE TERAI HATS. GENTS' COLOURED CHEVRETTE GLOVES.

SCARFS, TIES, SHIRTS, BOOTS, SHOES. - RAIN COATS AND UMBRELLAS

W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, February 10, 1890. Motel, Victoria

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. HIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horeis in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East, 200 Yards. Ten Shots. Will take The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description.

An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE.

### Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

Intimations.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. ITHE STEWARDS request the pleasure of I the presence of the LADIES at the GEAND STAND and ENCLOSURE during the Races on the 26th, 27th, and 28th Instant.

E. H. GORE BOOTH. Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, February 19, 1890.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. 1890-91 :---TO SERVANTS will be allowed inside the ENCLOSURE of the RACE COURSE during the Bace Days without Tickets, which can be had on application from the

E. H. GORE-BOOTH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, February 19, 1890.

TYONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. RACE MELTING, 1890. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday,

the 21.h, 27th, and 28th February. Rule 15.—Admission to the General Stand and Enclosure. For Members of the Jockey Club, Free; for Non-Members, \$5

Stand, \$3 for the Meeting. Rule 16 .- Tickets of Admission to the Grand Stand and Enclosure to be had on application to H. A. Herbert, Esq., Honora Ticket, to be shewn to the Gatekeeper.

Hopgkong, February 19, 1890. NOTICE N the 1st March next, we are REMOV. ING from our present OFFICES to the Premises now occupied by the BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, Queen's Road.

E. H. GORE BOOTH,

Clerk of the Course.

CALDRECK MACGRECOR & O. "Illine and Spirit Merchants. Hongkong, February 22, 1890. THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Third Ordinary Annual MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the CHAMBER

OF COMMERCE ROOMS at the City Hell, at

Twelve o'Clock (noon), on FRIDAY, the

7th March next, for the purpose of receiv-

ing the Report of the Directors, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED from 24th February to 7th March, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Sheres pan be registered. EDWARD OSBORNE,

Hongkong, February 17, 1890.

Secretary.

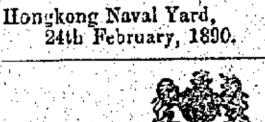
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NAVAL CONTRACTS, 1890-91.

CEALED TENDERS, in Duplicate, will be Received at H. M. NAVAL YARD. until 10 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, the 5th March, from Persons desirous of SUPPLY-ING the Undermentioned ARTICLES for the Use of H. M. Navy for the Year

FRESH MILK. Biscuir RAISINS. SOFT BREAD. RICE. FLOUR. SUGAR. Fresh Beef. VEGETABLES, . POTATOES. FRESH WATER. Printed Forms of Tenders, and further Particulars can be obtained at the Naval

Storekceper's Office. The right to reject the lowest or any Tender is reserved. W. H. LOBB, Naval & Victualling Storekeeper.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. NFORMATION has been Received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that ARTIL-LERY PRACTICE will take place from Lyemun Central Battery, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m., Daily, (Sundays and THURSDAYS excepted), from MONDAY, the 24th Instant, until MONDAY, the 10.h Proximo, the Line of Fire will be in a North-Easterly direction from the Battery.

By Command. W. M. DEANE, Acting Colonial Secretary. 'olonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, February 25, 1890.

All Surps, Jungs, and other VESSELS are

AUTIONED to keep clear of the Range.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Superintendence of Miss MIRANDA MANN,

will be Open, for Girls of all nationalities, on 1st March next, at No. 16, Hollywood P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office Instruction will be given in English (for which a Fee of Half-a-Diller a month will be charged), also in Chinese and its Needlework. For Particulars and Entries of Scholars, application may be made to the INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS on or after 24th Inst., at the School, to the HEATMISTRES.

F. FLEMING.

Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, February 12, 1890.

By Command

#### PUBLIC AUCTION.

Auctions.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY, the 3rd March, 1890, commencing at 2.30 .m., at the Residence of J. CRAMP, Esq., No. 20, Belilios Terraco,-

THE WHOLE OF HIS IOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

CRETONNE-COVERED DRAWING-BOOM SOITE, GLASS BACK CHEFFONIER, TABLES, ictures. Mirrors. Fenners and Irons. LACE CURTAINS, &c., &c. DINING TABLE and CHAIRS, GLASS BACK SIDEBOARD, WHATNOTS, CROCKERY, GLASS and PLATED WARE, CUTLERY, &c.

DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEADS, COMPLETE MAR-BLE-TOP WASHING STAND and DRESSING TABLES, BUDROOM FURNITURE, &c. IRON COOKING STOVES and UTENSILS, Catalogues will be issued previous to the

Sale, and the above will be on view on Saturday next p.m. TERMS OF SALE.—As customary. G. R. LAMMERT,

......Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 24, 1890. Banks.

NOTICE. DULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 .—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250

at one time will not be received. No

depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. .-Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

.-Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per

annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances. Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Bo which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should sand them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin-

ning of July.

6.- Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Sarings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. .-Withdrawals may be made on demand. but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent,

are necessary. HONORONO & SHANGHAI BANKING COEPOBATION. G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager.

and the production of his Pass-Book

HONGKONG & SHANGRAL BANKING CORPORATION. RESERVE FUND...................\$4.6 10,000

Hongkong, January 1, 1819.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$7,500,000 PRINTORS..... COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. Deputy Chairman-J. S. Moses. Esq. W. G. BRODIE, Esq. | Gen. A. P. McEwen. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. S. C. MICHAELSEN, H. HOPPIUR Esq. Esq.

D. R. SASSION, Esq.

B. LATTON, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong, ......G. E. Noble, Esq. MANAGEE. Shanghai, ...... Joun Walter, Esq. LONDON BANKERS .- London und County

Bank. HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. ( N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cept, per serum on the daily On Fixed Deposits :---

4 per cent. II 11 12 E 5 per cent, ii LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the hlef Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia. America, Ohine and Japan.

Hongkong, February 24 1190.

G. E. NOBLE,

Chief Manager.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

Steamsnip

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per anen.m.

Shipping. Steamers. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA. VIA NAGA SAKI AND KOBE (Passing through the INLAND SEA.

Captain C. F. PERSTON, THE GOVERNMENT CENTRAL will leave for the above places on SATUR. SCHOOL for GIRLS, under the DAY, the 1st March, at No n. E. L. WOUDIN. Superintendent. Hongkong, February 24, 1890.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL

Steamship Captain P. Hannis, will | The above Company is now prepar d to leave for the above place about 24 hours supply PURILAND CEMENT of beat after her arrival with the outward English quality. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

Hongkong, February 25, 1600.

#### PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

#### Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Capt. TH. LEHMANN, will be despatched for the

above Port on THURSDAY, the 27th Inst., For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, February 25, 1890. COEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, FIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship

Cyclops,
Captain Nish, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 27th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIFLD & SWIRE, Anents.

Hongkong, February 19, 1890. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship Gleneagles,
Captain Park, will be
despatched as above on

This Steamer has superior Accommodation for Passengers, and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

or about the 27th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents. .- The business of the above Bank will Hongkong, February 7, 1890.

> (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
> Ancona,
> Captain W. D. Mudie, will leave for the above places on FRIDAY.

> > E. L. WOODIN.

despatched for the above

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA-NAGA-

SAKI AND KOBE.

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, February 17, 1800. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

the 28th Instant, at Daylight.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Bonneroy, will be

Ports on or about FRIDAY, the 28th Inst. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, February 25, 1890.

LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship Taiyuan. NELSON, Commander, will be despatched as above at Noon, on SATURDAY, the 1st Prox.

The attention of Passengers is directed

to the Superior Accommodation offered by

this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins

are situated forward of the Engines.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

Second Class Passengers are borthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, February 17, 1890. Hon. J. J. KESWICK. L. POESNECKER, Esq. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

> The Co.'s Steamship Captain Bark, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 3rd March. For Freight or Passage, apply to

> > BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

FOR YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND

NAGASAKI.

Hongkong, February 24, 18:0, SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NEW YORK. The Steamship Merionethshire. Capt. Dowling, will be despatched for the above

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, February 5, 1890.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

FOR TIENTSIN.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

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> Offices-62, Queen's Read Central. J. FOREMAY,

Secretary. Horgkong, February 6, 1820.

POON PONG, Enq.

#### Entertainments.

AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB. ALI BABA,

FORTY THIEVES.

THE FINAL PERFORMANCE of the above PANTOMIME

will take place, on ATURDAY. the 1st March, at 9 pm.

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ORAWPORD & Co.'s, on and after Thursday, February 20th, at Il a. hi. Hongkong, February 17, 1890.

#### intimations.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,.....\$5,000,000 PAID-UP GAPITAL ..... 2,500,000 RESERVE FUND,..... 1,250,000

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Secretary. Victoria Buildings, Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Twelfth Ordinary Annual MEET. I ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY, the 6th March, at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of receiving a Report from the General Agents, with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1889.

will be CLOSED from the 21st February to the 6th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, February 14, 1890. LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### NOTICE.

THE Eighth Ordinary Annual MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY, the 6th March, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report from the General Agents, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st February to the 6th March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, February 14, 1890.

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#### Intimations.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPON DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 4, Praya, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY the 3rd March, 1890 at 3 p.m., when the following Resolutions will be submitted :-

1.—That the Company do borrow from the Land Investment and Agency Company Limited the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars bearing interest at the rate of seven dellars per cent, per annum for such a period on such terms and conditions and to be secured, in such a manner as the Company's Directors shall think fit, and that for that purpose the said Directors do cause all necessary deeds or documents to be duly executed. 2 .- That at the end of Article No. 11 of

the Company's existing Articles of Association there he added the following words, with the following marginal note, that is to

Limit on holding No shareholder, whether au individual, Firm, Compan or Corporation shall be entitled to hold at any one time more than one thousand

3.—That Article No. 49 of the Company's existing Articles of Association with its marginal note be cancelled and that in lieu thereof, the following Article and marginal note be inserted, that is to say. Number of votes [49] Every shareholder (if

to which Share- duly registered for one month holder entitled. previous to the Meeting at which he claims to vote but not otherwise) shall have one vote for each share up to ten and one vote for every complote additional number of ten shares.

4 .- That immediately after the Company's next Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting, Articlo No. 63 of the Company's existing Articles of Association be cancelled and that in lied thereof the following be inserted:-'No person shall be eligible to the Office of Director unless he be the holder of at least

fifty sharer.' By Order of the Board of Directors,

DAVID GILLIES, Secretary. Hougkong, February 22, 1890.



THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE OF CALL.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Comp my HIME Directors having decided to make the FINAL CALL on the SHARES in the above Company, Notice is hereby given that the sum of TEN DOLLARS, (\$10 per Share will be Payable at the Honokone AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION OF or before the 5th day of March, 1890. This FINAL CALL will make the Shares fully paid up, and all Scarp in the hands of unregistored Holders should be sent in

for registration. INTEREST at the Rate of Twelve PER CENT. per Annum will be chargeable on all Calls UNPAID on due dater.

By Order of the Board of Directors, CHAS. F. HARTON,

Acting Scoretary. Hongkong, February 3, 1890. TOL. EVIEL.—No. 3.

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Intimations.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, IMMITED.

HE Seventh Ordinary General MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, Praya Central, on SA : URDAY, the 8th March, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring Dividend and electing Consulting Committee and Auditors. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 21st Instant to 8th

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Hongkong, July 25, 1887 Notice of Firm.

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Notices to Consignees.

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Fire Insurance will be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must be sent in immediately. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, February 22, 1890.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

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the 3rd March will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before n.m. To-day. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ARNHOLD, WARBERG & Co., Agents. Hongkoug, February 24, 1800

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Hongkong, February 26, 1890. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship Kutsang having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN Co., LD., at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained.

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> Bengkorg, February 26, 1990. U. S. MAIL LINE.

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O. D. HARMAN,

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TO DEPART.

Loft Colcutta February 8th, Penang 15th,

and Singapore 18th. Cleared the Hooghly

Road at 3 p.m. on the 9th ; Table Island on

the 11th at 5 p.m. Narcondam on the 12th,

at I a.m., entered Peneng at 7 p.m., on the

left Penang on 15th at 5 p.m.; Cape Rachado

on the 16th at 6 p.m. Entered Singapore

on the 17th at 8 a.m. L ft on the 19th at

noon. Arrived at Hongkong February 25th,

6 p.m. From Calcutta to Penang, experi-

enced light N.E. winds with fine weather,

soon from Hollow to Hongkong.

EXPORT CARCOES.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Per Amoy, at 9.30 a.m., on Thursday,

Per Parthia, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday,

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For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA

For SINGAPORE & PENANG.

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the 1st March.

the 27th inst.

the 6th March.

14th. In Penang on 15th, str. Wingsam

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Hongkong, February 26, 1890. INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

General Managers.

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALQUITA The Co. s Steamship

Kutsanz. Captain Young, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, 1st March, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 26, 1890. EAST BORNEO PLANTING

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS.

ATOTICE is hereby given that an EXTR ORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Honokong Hotel on THURSDAY, the 13th day of March, 1890, at 4 p.m., when certain Resolutions necessary to carry out the Reconstruction of the Company (proposed at a Meeting of Shareholders held on the 27th day of January ultimo) will be put to the Meeting. Copies of these Resolutions have been forwarded to the Registered Shareholders in the Company, and Unregistered Holders of Shares can obtain Copies, and full Particulars re garding the Scheme for Reconstruction, on application at the OFFICE of Messrs GIBB.

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CHAS. F. HARTON, Scoretary. Hongkong, February 26, 1890.

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ARRIVALS.

February 26 :---Kung-pat. Chinese steamer, from Wham-Glenfinia, British steamer, 1,036,

Paddy, -ABAMSON, BELL & Co.

MATHE ON & Co. Kreight will be received on board until 4 Chenny Hye Teng, British steamer, 923, p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel M. G. Scott, Singapore and Hothow Feb. Taichiow. British steamer, 863. Unsworth. should be marked to address in full; value Bangkok February 19, General. -- Yven Far

DEPARTURES.

February 26 :-

Suttej, for Europa. City of Peking, for San Francisco.

380 Yuensang, for Swatow,

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Co., Limited, and also to obtain damages Dated this 14th day of May, 1889. WOTTON & DEACON.

> cash. — New Benares, cash, 4771/480 cash. --Now Malwa, cash, .. 520/530 Allowance, Tacis... 32/40 Old Malwa, cash.... 540 Allowance, Taels ... 24/32

and smooth sea. From Penang to Singa-Persian, Oily, cash 520/540 pore hot, Southerly, calm with occasional Allowance, Tacie ... 16/48 Persian, Paper tied 530/540 Allowance, Taels... 16/48 showers from thence to port, strong mon-The British steamer Glenfruin, from Lon-Exchange. don January 13th. via Singapore February 20th, reports: Had light monsoon and Honokone, February 26. smooth water throughout. February 17th, On Londonspoke American ship Charger of Boston. wished to be reported, from Hongkong, ,, On demand, ... 3/14. bound Calcutta, lat. 2° 55' N., long. 100° 30 days' sight, ... 3/13 4 months sight, ... 3/13 The British steamer Cheang Hye Teng re-Oredits.4 ,, ports: From Singapore to Tonquin Gulf, Documentary, 4 months' sight, 3/21 light winds and fine weather; strong monn Paris— On domand, ... 3 92 The British steamer Taichiow reports : Oredits: 4 months' sight, ... 4 00 From Bangkok to the Paracels, light to On Berlinmoderate N. and N.E. wind, and fine wea-On demand, ... ... 3.15 ther; from Paracels to port, fresh to strong On New York-East winds, and moderate head see, fine On demand. ... Oredits, 60 days' sight, On Bombay-Per S. S. Oanfu, sailed 16th February : On demand. -For London, 5:7 bales Wasto Silk, 386 On Calentiapieces Old Brunzo, 400 cases Cassia Buds, 200 cases Palm-leaf Fans, 85 cases Bristles, On demand, ... 67 cases Blackwoodware, 17 cases China-On Shanghai-On demand. ... ware, 16 phgs. Rattanware, 7 cases Copper-

### General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, February 28 :-9 p. m. -Artillery Practice. Noon. -Lecal Banks close.

SATURDAY, March 1 :-Opening of Government Central School 3.30 p.m. - Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association.

3 p.m. - Extraordinary Meeting of The H.K. & Whampon Dock Co., Ltd., at No. 14. Praya. Goods per Ningch w undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Goods per Kutsang undelivered after this date subject to rent. WEDNESDAY. March 5:---10 a.m. - Tenders for Naval Contracts, 189 -91, received by Storekeeper.

The China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at the General Agents' Office. Noon .- Meeting of Sharcholders of The Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at the General Agents' Office. 12,30 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The China Bornes Co., Ltd., at the

FRIDAY, March 7:-Noon .- Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown

SATURDAY, March 8:--Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The China & Mapile Steamship Co., Ltd. at the Company's Office. 2 p.m. - H.K. Amateur Athletic Sports. 4 p.m.-Extraordinary Meeting of Shares holders of the Bast Borneo Co., Lid.,

at Horgkong Hotel,

Borneo Planting Co., Ltd., due.

Co., Lid., at City Hall.

Percels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office only up to 11.30 a m, or 3.30 p.m. Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders are requested to Cancel their Stamps by THURSDAY, March 13:-

ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and

by country, with the addresses all one way). 10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10.30 A.M. - Posting of Newspapers,

be sent on Board with the same Late

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Per Glenfrum, from London, Miss Mann Por Cheang Hye Teng, from Holhow, 19 Per Taichiow, from Bangkok, 14 Chinese. Per Sutlej, from Hongkong : for Singaporo, Mr James Melcalfe, Mr and Mrs Warren; for Penang, Mr Davidson; for London, Mr Grindley, Rev. and Mrs Martin and 3 children; for London via Marseilles Mr Jas, Kellin. From Shanghai : for London, Mrs Hodgkinson, Miss Weir, Dr. W. A. Barr, Master Worcester, and Miss McGregor, and Mr McGregor; for Mar-Per City of Peking, for Yokohama, M and Mrs B. C. Howard; for San Francisco Mr A. L. de Foster, Miss McCarver, and European : for London, Mr W. McKerrow employing, or permitting to be used, or employed any labels, wrappers, brands, or Per Yusnsang, for Swatow, 10 Chinese. marks used by the said A. S. WATSON &

in respect thereof. Solicitors for the said The British steamer Kutsan; reports: 960 A. S. WATSON & Co., LAMITED.

Quotations Hongkong, February 26. PIUM-New Patna, cash ... 480/4821

wase, 12 cases Lanterns, 10 casks Ginger, 30 days aight private. 10 bales Mats, b pkgs. Canes and 28 pkgs. Gold Leaf, 100 line ...

> 4 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Green Island Cement Co., Ltd., at Hongkong Hotel.

> 9 p.m. -Performance at the City Hall. MONDAY, March 3:--2.30 p.m -Auction of Household Furniture, at the residence of Mr J. Cramp, No. 20. Belilios Terrace.

9 p.m. - Meeting of Zetland Lodge. TUESDAY, March 4:-

Final Call of \$10 on Share of The East THURSDAY, March 6:-11.30 a.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of

Hongkong Hotel, Second Call of 10/ on Share of The Tall & Lean Company of China, Japan & Straits, Ltd., due.

writing the word Stamped across them.

Covers containing Bank Notes, &c.,

Shipping. 10 a.m.—Amoy leaves for Shaughai. Cyclops leaves for London.

9 p.m.—Concert at the City Hall. Miscellaneous. Noon:-Local Banks close. Goods per Sachsen undelivered after

Amusements.

this date subject to rent.

### WINES AND SPIRITS.



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To In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine or The Canadian Pacific s. s. Batavia left Spirit wanted, and initial letter for quality desired. Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention.

PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.) Case. Per Bot. A Alto Douro, good quality, \$10 \$1.00 Green Capsule . . . . B Vintage, superior quality, Red Capsulo . . . . 12 C Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Cap-D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior. Violet Capsule (Old Bottled) . . . 18 SHERRIES.

A Delicato Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule . . 6 0.60 B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Scal Capsule 7.50 0.75 C Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsulo . 10 CO Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Scal . . 10 Capsule . . . D Very Superior Old Pale choice old Wine. White Seal Capsule E Extra Superior Old Pale

Dry, very finest quality. Black Seal Capsulo (Old Per Case. Per Case. Quarts. Pints. CLARETS. A Superior Breakfast Claret,

. \$4 \$4.50 B St. Estephe, Red Capsule. C St. Julien . D La Rose BRANDY. A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsule . B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule . . . . . 14 1.25 C Very Old Liqueur Cognac. Red Capsulo . . .

D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule . 24 2.00 SCOTCH WHISKY. A Thorne's Blend. Capsule . B Watson's Glenorchy Mel-· low Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark. 8 0.75

C Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark . . . D Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Cap-. . . 10 1.00 and England. E Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-

IRISH WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old, Green B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule . . . C John Jameson's Very Fine Old. Green Capaulo . .... 12 1.10 GENUINE BOURBON WHISKY, fine old, Red Capsule, with Namo

A Fine Old Tom, White Cap-B Fine Unswectened, White Capsule . . . . 4.50 0.40 C Fine A. V. H. Geneva . 5.25 0.50 Finest Old Jamaica, Violet

Good Leeward Island \$1.50 per Gallon. Liqueurs. Benedictine Marasching' Curacoa Heering's Cherry Cordia

Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters. &c.

The publication of this issue commenced a' 8.2) p.m.

#### The China Mail.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1890

TELEGRAMS. (Havis Telegrams.)

BYE-ELECTIONS IN FRANCE.

Pasis, 17th Feb. Five invalidated Boulangists were reelected. Goussot defeated Revest; Paul wall, Goblet. Naquet has to stand a second lombre having a majority against him. Three moderate Republicans were elected seat. The Chamber has voted an enquiry

(From Singapore Papers.)

THE REMOVAL OF CATHOLIC DISABILITIES.

London, 17th Feb. Mr Glads one has backed Mr Campbell Bannerman's Bill to enable Catholics to hold the offices of Lord Chancellor and of Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

RUSSIA AND ABYSSINIA. Russia proposes to establish a Consulate | high one. This only national legislation prevent me retaining my g in Phi. Mr. Pogose's Saltpetre (Roud) 10st. in Abytainia

THE DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT TORONTO.

Toronto University including the aplendid Museum and Library has been destroy ed by fire. The loss is estimated atmillion and a half dollars.

H. M. S. CONQUEST. Has been floated.

#### ICCAL AND GENERAL.

OUTWAND BOUND :- Kara, Jan. 24; Stentor, Fob. 7; Cardiganshire, Glenartney, Sarpedon, Yorkshire, Bellona, 11 Edendale, Holyrood, 14.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

HONEWARD BOUND :- Aglaia, Jan. 21 Cassandra, 31 : Deucalion, Ganges, Pembrokeshire, Fob. 4; Achilles, 7; Boyern, Dardanus, Iphigenia, 11; Benledi, Saghalien, 14.

The M. M. Co.'s str. Djennah, with the French mail of Jan. 25th, left Saigon may be expected here on or about from Hongkong on Dec. 18.

The O. and O. Co.'s s. s. Occanic, with the AMERICAN MAIL of Feb. 4th, left Yokohama on Saturday, the 22nd Feb., at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on dependent, 12th Feb. or about Friday, Feb. 28th.

Vancouver for Japan, &c., on the 13th

The N. G. I. s. s. Bormida left Singapore on the 21st Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 1st March. The O. S. S. Co.'s s. s. Oresics, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 22nd

about the 1st March. The D. D. R. s. s. Niobe left Singapore on the 25th Feb., at 9 a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 4th

ELECTRIC light has been introduced into Government House at Singapore.

THE pupils of Maestro Cattaneo will give a vocal and instrumental concert at the City Hall on Thursday, the 20th March, in aid-of the funds of the Alice Memorial Hospital. 1.00 Further notices will appear later on.

THE Jubilee Singers gave another concert in the Theatro Royal last night, when there was a good audience. The entertainment was a repetition of the success of Saturday evening, with a fresh programme. The slave songs were recoived with onthusiastic applause, and in almost every ir stauce an encore was demanded. The soles by Miss Johnson and Mr Loudin evoked hearty approbation, and in both cases encores Were given in response to the prolonged applause which fellowed the songs. Two of the items of Case. Per Bot. | Saturday evening's programmo were repeated by special request—and were again . . \$12 \$1.10 loudly applauded. The company gave still more convincing proofs of their ability to render part songs, glees, &c., with | from sumggling, but he had no personal 18 1.50 | conspicuous success, by the manner in which several numbers of this class were given. programme which was received with marked approval. The singers give another learn they purpose giving a few perform-

> THE Policische Correspondenz learns from th Vatican that the difference between the Holy toe and Portugal as to the Portuguese patronage in the East Indies has been settled to the satisfaction of both Portugal

ances next week.

WE hear, says the Straits Independent, that serious disturbances, if not an actual riot. have broken out at Copah (Takapa) on the West Coast of Siam, and that H. S. M.'s gunboat stationed at Tongkah proceeded there with the Siamese Commissioner for the purpose of reatoring order. It is hardly a fortnight since we predicted that disturbances would take place in some of the Western Siamese States, but we did not expect that they would come so soon. Decidedly the affairs of these States ought to be looked after by somebody better able to supervise their government than the Siamese authorities.

comes from Senator John P. Jones, of Ne- against the defendant. If the man was vads, through a friend in London. Says guilty, as he found him, he could see Senator Jones :- The present prospect nothing in extenuation. He was in a postundoubtedly is that there will be either a tion of trust and he betrayed that trust large increase in the coinage of silver, or If an excise officer were found guilty of that some plan will be adopted by which such an offence he should impose on him silver bullion will be bought by the Trea. | the same punishment as he was about to legal tender quality. The advocates of penalty of \$500, with the alternative of silver constitute a majority of the members | three months' imprisonment. of each House of Congress, and will insist on something by way of legislation that will more fully utilise that metal as money. They may differ more or less widely as to the details of the plan to be adopted, but that something decisive will be done may I think be relied on. It may be added that Senator Jones is the father of the Bimetallic cult, and a man of great weight with the present administration; with the President's own particular party e-pecially. Of course everyone knows that a permanent enhancement in the value of silver means a permanent improvement in sterling exchange, but we have never found any one who knows positively very much more. There are ortain general indica-Mery, Basly; Laur, Lessagaryl; and Belle- tions, such, for instance, as the late excess of exports from India over imports, the demand of the English mint for metal, for ballot, his opponents Bonneville and De- new half-crowns, and the less obvious influence of a general feeling among those who traffic in Indian exchanges that America means to do something, which in the departments, constituting a gain of a | might enable any one who observed - which enabled he six weeks ago-to forecast a rise extending over a few weeks, but that into the election of Picot against Jules Ferry. is about all. At the moment and unless, of course. America should move decisively, the ting. - Spricuse Journal the only thing to be said besides, with any degree of safety, is that the present rolatively good rates for remitters are like. ly to hold for a month or two and that a drop to the abramal figure of last autumn is unlikely for several months. Let it always be remembered however that rise in exchange has a rough side to it; that the effect of these considerable fluctuations is distatrous to commerce generally and

that what at any rate the country at large

wants is a stable rate rather than a merely

can ascure. - Pioneer.

THE office inside the Gaol in Singapore was entered, the strong box broken open and property abstracted to the value of \$500 consisting of money and other articles belonging to the prisoners. The theft is sup-

SEVERAL serious encounters botween the Dutch troops and a party of Achinese, resulting in severe losses to the former, took place last week between Pakan Kroappear that on Thursday last a party convicte were sent out under guard to clear the jungle, when several of them fell to the fire of the Achi nese lying in ambush in the neighbourhood. The next day a detachment of Dutch troops ordered to the spot to dislodge the enemy had to retire in the afternoon with 9 of their men wounded without

achieving their object. On Saturday, Lieut. Müller went out in command of two companies: he was killed and his body brought back to town before he had been an hour in the field. Staff on Monday, Feb. 24th, at 5 p.m., and | captain van Heust, a very valuable and popular officer, then went to take the com-Thursday, the 27th inst. This packet mand, but he too had to retire after being brings replies to letters despatched very seriously wounded, seven of his men from the very first had been firing under cover, had meanwhile intronched themselves by erecting earthworks. -Straits In-

> THE SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST A POLICE SERGEANT.

Tse Chin, an acting sergeant in the Hongkong Police, was brought before Mr Robinson in the Police Court yesterday, charged on remand with being unlawfully in possession of a ball of raw opium. Mr Caldwell ap-Feb., and may be expected here on or peared for the defence. It was slieged that the defendant, on the 21st inst., went to an opium shop at Yaumati and tried to arrange for the sale of some raw opium. and that he afterwards brought a ball of raw opium there to sell, when he was arrested by one of the Opium Farmer's officers. The master of the opium shop and one of his fokis gave evidence as to the defendant's visits to the shop, and the excise officer stated that he arrested the defendant with the opium in his possession, just as he was leaving the shop.

Inspector Mathieson, in charge of the Kowloon District, said the defendant was brought to the Yaumati Station on the afternoon of the 21st inst. about 5.50 by the excise officer, who charged him with being unlawfully in possession of the ball of opium produced. Witness cautioned the defendant in the usual way, and the defendant then made a statement to the effect that he left Taim-tsa-tsui Station at 4 p.m., and was on his way home to Kaulung-tsai, when he looked among some bushes for n stick he had placed there, and while doing Station when he was arrested by the excise officer. Witness had heard that there was some friction between the water police and the excise officers on account of the police preventing the excise officers

knowledge of the matter. A woman who was called for the defence said she was gathering sea-weed on the A male quartette was a new feature in the afternoon in question and saw the defendant take a stick and a ball of opium out

from among some bushes. Mr Caldwell said the case was one that concert this evening; and we are glad to | ought to be looked at with special care, in view of the serious consequences which a conviction would bring to the defendant, who had been a member of the police force for about fourteen years. He submitted that the story for the defence was at least possible of belief, while that for the prosecution was to say the least a doubtful one. and the defendant was entitled to the benefit of the doubt. One important Mr Nantai's Forerunner (Boyd) 11st. discrepancy in the evidence for the prosecution was that both shopmen stated that the defendant's first visit to the shop was made at a time when, as was proved beyond all doubt, he could not possibly have been there. His Worship could not give credence to this part of the story, and he was entitled on that account to reject the

however that these two people spoke posi- Time, 591 sees. tively as to the visits, and there could be no doubt that about five o'clock he was in the shop with the ball of opium. It was a case which he would like to have sent before a THE SILVER QUESTION. - Here is an in- jury, but he had no power to do so. He teresting contribution to the always in- was required to give a decision on the evidteresting sterling exchange question. It ence before him, and the decision was sury and paid for by certificates having the inflict on this man; and that was the full Mr Benedick's Antonio (Hough) 10st.

> On the question of the introduction of the European influenza into this country the eyes and nose will have it-Lowell

A BOTTLE of pills to take the taste out of Mr Kellett's Wanderer (Moffat) 11st. the mouth now accompanies every package of a new brand of cigarettes. - Philadelphia

cided that there is nothing in the Constillatart; and although he was passed in roundtution to provent the sending of an idiot to ling the pond by Antonio, it was seen that Congres. This may be law, but it is Master had the race pretty well in hand. not news. - Cincinnati Enquirer.

In Court- Prisoner have you snything to say in your defense? Your honor, beg you to consider, before pronuncing the sentence, that the only reason I steal is to as not to be leading about the streets | win was an easy one, Nordenfell finishing all day,' -- Fliegende Blatter.

CLARA-They tell me that after your quarrel with Charles he wanted to break off the engagement, asked for his ring and all that. Louise-Not at all, my dear ; may be somewhat injured, but I'm still in 3. The Assurer Cur, presented by E. A. His Thoughts on La Gripps-Those are my present prices on handkeroliels, said

the laundryman, in a cold, business-like tone. but I'm not making any contracts, I may have to run the figure up about 50 Mr Buxey's Skinjack (Pond) 10st. 121b 1,2 per cent next week. - Chicago Tribune. GETS THERE JUST THE SAME, - Cab's-You're a nervous, fidgety concern. Your Mr. Ten Brosok's Wild Mint (S. inpsen) whole life is made up of starts and jurks. Car-Yeal Perhaps you have noticed that Mr J. If Humphreys' Granthom (Townvery nervousness, as you call it, doesn't l

ladelphia Inqui er.

HONGKONG RACES, 1890.

Des Vœux, K.c.M.G.; His Excellency Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, v.c., K.c.B.; His eng Tjoet and Kota Toeankoe. It would Gray, Esq.; M. Grote, Esq.; G. E. Noble, passed Skipjack, who was showing signs Esq. ; E. L. Woodin, Esq. Scales :- H. Hoppius, Esq.

Judge: - The Hon. C. P. Chater. Assistant Judge : - R. M. Gray, Esq. Starter : - E. H. Gore-Booth, Esq. 2nd Starter :-.... Hon. Treasurer !- H. A. Herbert, Esq. Clerk of the Course :- E. H. Gore-Booth.

FIRST DAY, 26th February. The race meeting of 1890 began under very favourable auspices to-day. The weather was mild, with a good Easterly breeze The number of speciators was larger than sharing the same fate. The Achinese, who at any previous meeting. Considerable uncertainty prevailed as to some of the events. but the results did not differ much from Mr McCullagh's Materialist (Read) 10st. what we indicated last night as probable. There was a general impression that Mr Sid Mr J. D. Hum, hreys ' Vivid (Townsend) would win the Derby, but much difference Mr Fraser Smith's Keep Tryst (Collingof opinions existed as to the successful pony. The race was not what would be called an exciting one, Enticer and Materialist, who were both hot favourites. seemed at first to have it between them, but they had not a place at the Mr Tasman's Coonalpyn (Sampson) 10st. finish, Entertainer winning easily. The time (2.17) was 2 seconds longer than last year.

The races were kent fairly well up to time. had owing to the great difficulty in starting the last race, it was run in the dark. The Hon. C. P. Chater acted as Judge, Mr Gore-Booth as starter, while Messra Hoppius and Grote presided over the

The times were fairly good, although not quite up to last year. The course was in capital order, but the 'mugginess' of give Mr Gore Booth a deal of trouble, and the weather was perhaps somewhat against fast riding. There were some very big valuable time. The poines got away very fields, on one occasion as many as 21 ponies entering. But the races could not be called very exciting, most of them being past the Black Rock, and as they rounded

events was the Selling Plate, which was won by Mr Sykes, with Nordenfeldt. cording to the conditions of the race, the to half a head. On going round the pond. pony was put for sale at the finish, and was bought back for 8105.

so came upon the ball of opium in ques- and despite the alleged tightness of funds tion, which he was taking to Yauma'i, money seemed to be passing from hand to this it had been remarked that he was gohand as froely as ever. Mr Sid had four wins, including the

Derby, Mr Sykes, two, and Mr John Peel, Mr Darius, Mr Humphreys and Mr Boxey, 1. -The Wong NEI-CHONG STAKES.

China ponies: weight for inches: 'entrance \$5: with \$100 added. Half-a-Mr Sid's Chaser (Maclean) 11st. 4lbs...1

Mr J. D. Humphreys' Visitation (Townthreaten the chances of Mr Sid's pony, send) 10st. 6lbs....2 Mr Boco's Yarrum (Hutchings) 11st. Mr John Peel's Hotspur (Hough) 10st.

Mr P. Fraser Smith's Rosy Morn (Roynell) 10st. 12lbs...0 Mr J. D. Humphroys' Venturous (Samoson) 10st, 12ibs....0

Mr Sid's Waldo (Sassoon) 11st. 11b....0 Mr J. D. Humphreys' Visitant (Hart

Buck) 11st. 11b....0 Chaser, with whom Mr Sid declare! to win, had the best of the start, broke away from the rest and was leading by about two lengths rounding the village. Coming up the straight. Visitation began to draw close said it was quite clear that the shopmen was a good race between the two. Chaser were uncertain as to the precise time of won by three quarters of a length. Wilde, the defendant's first visit to the shop, and who was much fancied, slipped opposite Mr. Buxey's Arabic (Sampson) 10st. he was inclined to think they were mistaken | the village, being jammed, it is said, at the on that point. There remained the fact rail, and his rider (Mr Sassoon) fell off,

> t. Clerk of the Course; entrance \$5. Octando was a good third. Time, 2.425. Once round.

Mr Syke's Nordenfelt (Master) 11st. Mr Benedick's Choppie (Read) 11st.

Mr Noble's Zemindar (Green) 10at. Mr Monat's Worthless (Oswald) 11st. Mr Fraser Smith's St. Cyrus (Maclean).

was a popular one. The issue was lividly A Supreme Judge of Michigan has de- ever in doubt. Mr Syke's pony led at the After passing the Black Rock Nordenfelt took the lead spain, passing Antonio easily and entering the straight several lengths ahead. Antonio and Choppie tried hard to catch him up, but without success, and the in fine style. Chappie was a good third-Time 2 min. 1 sec. Nordenfelt was put up to anction immediately after the race and was bought by Mr G. S. Coxon for \$105.

> Solomon, Esq., for China poples; ontrappe 85; weight for inches. One Mr John Peel's Golden Hope (Hough) Mr J. D. Bumphroys' Visitation (Rev.

> > send) 10st, 12lbs....0

The Ron. J. J. Keswick; The Hon. C. | was reached, when he began to fall behind. P. Chater; G. S. Coxon, Esq.; W. H. On ontering the Straight, Golden Hope Forbes, Esq.; J. Grant Esq.; R. M. came up in fine style, and, half way up, of exhaustion. Go'den Hone won easily by Honorary Steward and Clerk of the a length. Visitation nearly took the second place from Skipjack, being only a head behind him. Time, 2 min. 7 sec.

4.—The Hongkong DERBY, sweepstakes of \$20 each, half forfeit if declared on or for all China ponies bond fide Griffing at 10st. 10lbs; one-mile-and-a-half. Mr Sid's Entertainer (Mnelcan) 10st. 10lbs ... 1

Mr Tasman's Timaru (Reynoll) 10st. 10:bs...2 Mr J. D. Humphreys' Vernal (Hart Buck) Mr Buxey's Fidget (Pond) 10st. 10lbs...0 Mr Sid's Entiter (Machado) 10st. 10lbs. .. 0 8.—The Canton Cur; for China Ponies, him in an unguarded moment. They Mr John Peel's Imuris (Hough) 10st. Mr A. P. MacEwen's Norman (Walker) Mr Ten Brocck's Wild Soge (Mourant) 116t. 10lbs....0 Mr John Peel's Duncrogjan (Easton) 10st. Mr Sid's Enchanter (Sassoon) 10st. 10lbs...0

The Derby was looked forward to as likely to be one of the best-contested and most interesting races over run at the Happy Valley. There was anything but unanimity W. H. Forbes as time-keeper, and Mr of opinion as to the probable winner, and favour ranged between Materialist, Enticer, and Wild Saje chiefly, the actual winner having but a small share of it until his form towards the end of the race showed that he was not to be left out of the reckoning. With so large a field it was only to be expected that the start would no pains were spared to give the crowd a fair send-off, even at the risk of losing well together on the fall of the flag. Materialist leading, with Enticer sticking close to him. This order was maintained the village Enticer got on terms with Mr McCullagh's pony, the rest of the field Among the new features of to-day's coming all together, a couple of lengths behind. They came past the stand in this order. Enticer. however, having lessened the distance between him and Materialist the aspect of affairs began to change, as the nonies were let out. It was at this stage of the race that Mr Sid's 'second The totalisator was in active operation. string', Entertainer, began to attract particular attention, although even before ing uncommonly well and was exceedingly well managed by Maclean. As they were ing them easily and leading into the third. Time 3 min. 15 sec. straight in fine form. Mr Tasman's two ponies came forward rapidly at the same time and looked as if they were going to make things warm for Entertainer, but it was soon seen that there was not enough running in either of them to seriously

> -THE LUSITANO CUP, presented by the members of the Club Lusitano, for China ponies; weight for inches; previous winners at this meeting, 10ths. extra ; Subscription Griffins of this season, 1839-90, allowed 5lbs.; entrance \$10; second pony to receive half the entrance money.

> which came up gamely and won in a canter

by half-a-doz a lengths. Verna, which

was well brought up at the finish was a

good third. Time 3 min 174 sec.

One-mile-and-a-quarter. Mr Sid's Ali Baba (Maelean) 11st. 11bs. ... Mr Buxey's Pao Haing (Pond) Ilst. Mr John Peel's Orlando (Easton) 11st. His Worship, in reviewing the evidence, to the leading pony, and at the close there | Mr Sid's / lazer (Machado) 10st. 12bs. ... 0 | Mr Sid's Enthuslast (Machado) 10st. Mr J. D. Rumphreys' Vigour (Hart

> Blazerexhausted himself by running round the course before a start was made. Puo Hsing first came to the front, but on the 2. - The Sectine Plate, value \$100, for | slope he lost ground and before the Rock China ponies, bond fide Griffins at the was reached he had lost his position. Down date of entry, other than Subscription to the village there was a good race, all the Griffins 71bs. extra; weight for inches; ponies being pretty close to each other. On the winner to be sold by auction for \$75, | entering the straight it was seen that Al half of any surplus from sale to go to the | Baba had the lead. Pao Hsing made a bold second pony and half to the fund; en- | effort to regain his position, but was unsuctries to close at noon on 25th February | ces. ful. Ali Buba winning by half a length.

> > 6.—THE VALLEY STAKES. Sweepstakes of 85 each, with \$160 added, for Subscription Griffins of this season, 1889-90, only weight for inches. Three-quarters-of-a-

Mr Darins' Leander (Pond) 10st. Olbs ... Mr Jones's Llugodan (Read) 11st. 11b. 4.2 Mr Twain's Rayon d'or (Easton) 10st. 2lbs....0 Mr Fraser Smith's Mak Siccar (Maclean) 10st. 9lbs...0 Mr Sammie's Salute (Reynell) 10st. 9lbs... 0 Bobongan takes rank among accomplished of the Empire. He suggested the creation Ma Tasman's Oma u (Sampsou) 10st. Nordenfelt was greatly funcied and the win | Mr John Poel's Good Hope (Hough) 11st. Mr A. P. MacEwen's If ye See (Walker) Mr W. Cruickshank's Deveron (Green) Mr Deveron's The Laird (Boyd) 11st. Mr Benedick's Don John (Robertson) Mr Chantrey's Aristocrat (Glubb) 11st. Mr Syke's Carbine (Master) 11et. 116...0 Mr Gorburn's Athole Brose (Sasico i) list. Mr A. W. Maitland's Bolero (Townsend) Mr J. D. Humphreys' Calentine (Hart Mr Byke's Thunderbolt (Woodcock) 10st Mr. Muclean's Kwizejah'nt (Oswali) Hat. Mr G. H Pott's Kettle (Humphreys) list. Mr Sid's Enterprise (Machado) Hat, 11b, .. 0 Mr Sid's Enthusias! (Collingwood) 10st. Mr Benedick's Claudio (Mourant) 10st.

markably good. -1 min. 34 sec.

7.-THE FOOCHOW CUP, value \$200, pre-China ponies; weight for inches; ontrance \$5. Two miles.

Mr J. D. Humphreys' Volcano (Townsend) Mr John Peol's Leep Year (Hough) 10st. 1 assorted at haphazard, with leaves good, Mr Sid's Myth (Maclean) 10st. 12lbs.....

date of entry (Saturday, 25th January, Mr Nantai's Blue Ruin (Boyd) 11st. 4lbs. O quality. No wonder the Comant urges 1890); first pony, 70 per cent.; second. Myth came first to the front, followed by planters to do their atmost to recover lost 20 per cent.; third, 10 per cent.; weight Volcano, with the others, except Victor, who ground and make head against growing was far in the rear, close up. Passing the competition. Rock for the last time Volcano shot ahead The other day a policeman escerting and won very easily. For the second place three Chinese prisoners frem Serdang to there was a dead heat, Leap Year and Myth Medan came to an untimely end at their 10st. 10:hs...3 coming in neck and nock. Time, 4.20.

January, 1890); weight for inches; winners at this Meeting 71bs, extra : ontrance \$5. One mile.

Mr Sid's Enticer (Maclean) 11st. 4lbs .... 1 Mr John Peel's Ringwood (Easton) 10st. Mr John Peol's Duncreggan (Hough) r Buxey's Grayling (Pond) 11st, 11b..... Mr Pogoso's Senater (Read) 10st. 12lbs.... Mr Sid's Enchanter (5 ssoon) 11st. 71bs.... Mr Morgan's Caswell (Master) 10st. Olbs. ... Mr J. D. Humphreys' Votary (Townsend) 10st. 12lbs....0 Mr J. D. Humphreys' Vivid (Hart Buck)

Mr. R. Frasor Smith's Keen Tryst (Ma-

chado) 10st, 12lbs....0 Mr A. P. MacEwen's Norman (Reynell) ponies kent well together till near the Rock, | middle-aged men. They were sent liere by when Enticer broke away and won easily a wealthy syndicate of Canton merchants by four lengths. Two of John Peel's stable ! to buy electric light p'ants for the Empire aced hard for the second place, which fell of China. to Ringwood. Duncrouson being a good

.-Farewell Cup, presented by J. Bell. Irving. Esq., for all China ponies; weight for inches; previous winners at this meeting 71bs. extra; entrance \$5: One-milenud-a-half.

third.—Time 2.08.

Mr Buxey's Homeguard (Pond) 11st. 11b.... Mr Sid's Susewind (Maclean) 11st. 11b. ... 2 Mr J. D. Humphreys' Vigour (Hart Buck) Mr Morgan's Silken Mead (Hough) 11st.

Mr Mouat's Daphne (Reynell) 10st.12lbs....0 Mr Sid's Sonne strahl (Machado) 11st.

Mr Sykes Mullingar (Master) 11st. 4lbs....0 Homequard was pretty generally looked to as the probable winner of this race. At the start Susciond went away, making the pace a cracker, and led onceround by two lengths. After younding the pond, however, Homequard began to show his mettle, and coming up to Mr Sid's pony raced him down the straight. The finish between these two coming round by the village it was seen | ponies was close and exciting. Home jaurd that things were not looking well for passed his opponent just on the post, and

> 10.—THE COMPRADORES' CUP: for all Subscripti n Griffins of this Season, 1889-90, Stakes, 5lbs. extra; entrance \$5. Second Pony to receive half the entrance money. One mile. Mr Sykes' Musict (Master) 10st. 9bs.....1

Mr John Peel's Total Loss (though) Mr J. D. Humphreys' Valentine (Townsend) 10st. 01bs....3 Mr Ardy's First Venture (Maclean) 11st. Mr Maclean's Kuizefeh'nt (Oswald) 14st. Mr Tasman's Tasma (Collingwood) 11st. Mr A. G. Stokes' Balmoral (Robottson) Mr Twain's Rayon d'or (Easton) 10s'. Mr Derrick's Express (Boyd) 10st. 12lbs....0 Mr Benedick's Claudio (Road) 10st. 9lbs .... 0 Mr Benedick's Dogberry (Green) 11st. Buck) 11st. 11bs... 0 | Mr Jav's Laufer (Reynell) 10st. 12bs... Mr Gorburn's Athole Brose (Sasson) 11et.

> Mr Sykes Thunderbolt (Woodcock) 10st. This was the most difficult race of the lot to start, and it was dark before the crowd of griffing got away. When they did get off they made an exceedingly good race of it, but it was impossible to distinguish the ponics at any distance, and the judge had some difficulty at the finish. The race up the straight deserved to be better seen than it was. Musket passed Valentine just on the post. winning by barely half-a-length. Time

Mr A. P. MacEwen's D'ye Understan'

(Walker) 10st. 12lbs....

| min 101 sec. DELI NEWS. On the 6th February another section of the Deli railway line towards Serdang so far mot requirements as to admit of its speech delivered at Liverpool last evening. formal opening that day amid festive dis- said that the time had come when Australia play and public rejoicing. Now that com- | should be asked to increase its contribution munication by railway with Berding and towards the maintenance of the naval forces facts, hopes run high that these districts of a Council of Advice, to include members 9.bs ... 0 will soon recover lost ground: Of late, representing the colonies, to consider the tobacco growing there has struggled with foreign relatious of Great Britain. 11b 0 adverse fare but the iron road is expected Mr Arnold Foster, in a letter to the

from the venture. The tubacco crop last year in Senlang, so experts say, has proved so unsatisfactory ciliation justify the Bermondsey dock 11h ... 0 and below the mark that it is feared many lubourers in demanding payment for most planters will have to close business. The times. leaf proves in many cases poor suff. In The Samean Treaty, the terms of which 41bs ... O Badagei, the outlook is no better. Two have just been publish in the United estates which did well for a while have had I States, is being o maionted upon by the lust, 9lbs. .. 0 to close not withstanding. Object on to the American Press, which reperally complains leaf lies in its too dark colour and in- that the views of Germany have dominated ability to stand test in burning. The same | the treaty, and King Malietos, who was distinventag at to trokers in Holland say, reinstated it his kingdom, is nothing more tell against plantation enterprise in Padang. than a figure-head. Assahan bas furged sheed, and promises | The Times, commenting on the Sam an by its light brown colour, flueness, and Britain a f. ir field and no favour in large size. Bain Bara and Pagnravan give | Samue. eca t promise for the fu ure. Success looks The winter is proving exceptionally to distant to planters neigh and Palen and severe in the Northern part of the United that many of them in the for nerdittriot States, and heavy and watering have been have given it up. bla tations in Dell, independent tribes of answed up in Oragon, and the people on

Mr Ess' Fair Sport (Maclean) 10st. Olbs... o away fairly well together. Salute jumped off the planters should the Achinese gain Mr Sid's Susewind (Sassoon) 11st, 11bs ... 0 at the first and kept the lead up to the them over, as they are now trying to do. Stewards: His Excellency Sir G. William Mr R. Fraser Smith's Lochin ear (Col. mile and a quarter post, when Leander, Should the Achinese convert them to the lingwood) 10st. 12ibs ... 0 having been kept well in, walked through Mahomedan faith, the consequences may This was the first really good race of the the ponies in fine style and led up the prove detrimental to both the planters and posed to be the work of some former pri- Excellency Major-Ceneral Edwards, R.E., day. After a great deal of trouble, a good straight. His example was followed by the Government. To defeat Achinese c. B. ; Commodore Church, R.N. ; Colonel start was made. At the Bridge Susswind Llygodan, but the latter was unable to get intrigue, a gentleman named Cramer has Storer, R.E.; Colonel Craster, R.A.; Colonel got in front, but was soon passed by Skip. so well away from the crowd. Leander, im- been raising subscriptions in Holland for a Chater, 91st Regt.; The Hon. P. Ryrie; jack, who made the running till the Village proving his lead all the way home, won very Protestant mission among the Battake easily by four lengths. The time was re- under the guidance of a worker named Kruyt. The preparations for the mission

are already pretty well forward. Bad sorting and shortcomings in packing sented by the Foodlow community, for begin to tell heavily against Deli tobacco in the market. Formerly, sorting so hit the mark that buyers could rely on samples, but, now-a days, matters have changed for the worse. Baies too often come to market 12lb... 2 bad, and indifferent packed together. Buyers no longer trust to samples, and Deli before day of closing entries, with \$100 Mr Pogose's Senegal (Read) 11st. 11b ...... tobacco begins to get a bad name owing to added for 1st pony, and 850 for 2nd; Mr J. D. Humphreys Victor (Hart Buck) so few planters caring to keep up its high 11st. 11b...0 reputation of old by setting quantity before

> hands. Though he walked along, chopper in hand, the Chinese managed to fall upon bona fide Griffins at date of entry (25th | strangled him with the rope binding them and flung the corpse into the jungle. The man brought his fate upon humself by carelessness in ignoring the fact that Chinese of that stamp shrink from nothing when they see a chance of escaping from custody.

> > AMERICA TO ILLUMINATE

CHINA. The American papers have long been listinguished for the remarkable truthfulness of their reports about China. Here is a striking illustration taken from the

New York Times: The arrival suddenly of two distinguishad Chinamon in Chinatown, New-York has created a great sensation, not so much particularly because of their reputed wealth as on account of the neculiar mission for which they are here. The gentlumen's This was another victory to Mr Sid. The names are Wong and Fong, and both are

The syndicate representatives. Wong and Fong, said to a reporter that some time ago they secured a ninety-year contract from the Imperial Government of China to furnish all the public buildings and offices with the modern great American illumination; and in connection with this great contract they likewise own the exclusive right to supply the rest of the empire with their light. Messrs. Wong and Fong are

big stockholders in this new enterpriso, and were sent here to do the purchasing of all necessary machines -enough to supply only the largest cities of China, Hongkong, Foo-Chow, Shaughai, Nankin, Hankow, Ning-Po, Tien-Tsin, and Pekin. They brought a large bill of credit with them to the rich firm of Wing, Woh Chong & Co.,

From what the reporter could learn from their somewhat guarded conversation, the purchase will probably amount to hundreds of thousands of dollars if not actually millions. They got one of the principal interpreters in the city to show them around yesterday among the several companies of electric light factories. From one firm, the name of which the reporter failed to learn owing to their inability to Moterialist and Enticer, Entertainer pass | won cleverly by half a length, Vigour a bad | pronounce English, it is said they have already made a large purchase. They are stopping at present with the senior member. of the firm of Wing, Woh Chong & Co., 32 Pell-street. The party will remain here only ; weight for inches; winner of Valley | for two or three days yet, or until they have succeeded in golding what they want, and then they will return home immediate-

> Mr. Wong says that the wonderful electrical lights of the Yankees simply took the people of China by storm. They could not be persuaded to believe at first that it was in the power of man to make darkness so g'orious, and they attribute it to the magic of the devils or some superhuman efforts of some incomprehensible being. When they had its principles explained to them by experts, the officials and the literary classes were completely nonplused by the genius of the 'Melicau man.' That is why they are now so anxious to have the great Yankee light in place of the little wicker bean oil lamps of the ancients.

### LATE TELEGRAMS.

(From Australian papers.)

London, 23rd Jan. The committee of the Pelican Club, who resigned in consequence of a general meeting of members having expressed a desire for further inquiry into Mr. Abingdon's behaviour in connection with the fight between Smith and Slavin, after the committee had exonerated Abingdon from blame in connection with the attack on Slavin, have been

Terrible gales have prevailed over the Atlantic during the past few days, and there is reason to fear that they will have proved very destructive to shipping. Great anxiety prevails as to the safety of the vessels trading to America, as there are now no less than thirty steamers overduo. The Miners' Federation in Great Britain intend to ask the labour members of the House of Commons to introduce a bill making eight hours a statute day's labour, The Local Government Board has dis-

solved the Board of Guardians at Cork on the ground of the disloyalty of its members. London, 24th Jan. Lord Brassey, in a

I to mend matters, and to ensure the Times, published this morning, attacks the 10st, 12lbs. .. 0 planters coming triumphantly out of their sesertion of Mr Raikes, the Postmasterdifficulties. The railway company set a General, that an Imperial ocean penny 10s). Othe ... of good example by venturing where ordinary postage scheme is impossible, and he cites cupitalists feared to tread. The Deli the enormous increase in the number of 41b. 0 Courant of the 8th Feb, hopes great things overcon packets to Sydney in support of the feasibility of the coheme.

The Mansion House Committee of Con-

well for the fotu e. I's leaf calls attention | Treaty, states that it moures for Great

experienced. News I'm beun mocived at West and North West of the fabacco New York that eight madenger trains are With such an unmanageable field a satis. a connibal race styled Battaka people the the trains are suffering terrible privations. factory start was almost entirely out of the mountain region. They are rank heathens, Several are reported to be dying from cold questi b, but on the whole the crowd got and likely to prove a standing danger to and hunger.

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Gleneagles	5 հ! 3 հ՝	Goddard Clifford	Brit. str. Chi. str.	783 602	Feb.	23 22	Jardine; Matheson & Co. Douglas Steamship Co. C. M. S. N. Co.	Amoy and Tamsui Shanghai	To-day
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Moray	10 3 h	Wallace Schulz	Brit. str. Ger. str.	2:35 954	Feb.	16 24	Siemssen & Co.	Vancouver	6th prox.
Phu Quoc Pilot Fish Taicheong	1 h 3 e	Stopani Duhme	Ger. str.	161	ept.	15	Gibb, Livingston & Co. H. K. & W. Dock Co. A. G. Morris	Bangkok	K'loon Dook
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Sailing Vessels	•								
Altear	8 c	Magrath	Brit. bge.	1283	Jan.	14	Butterfield & Swire		
Belle of Oregon	5 c 5 k	Noyes	Amer. bqe. Amer. sh.	843 1540	Dec. June	9 16	Captain Melchers & Co.	San Francisco	K'loon Dock
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Name.	Rig.	Tons.	Guna.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Where at
Macrity	despatch-vessel	1700	4	3180	Com. R. Blair Maconochio	Hongkong
aroline	corvetto	1400		<u> </u>	Captain Wm. Wiseman, Bart.	Hongkong
lonquest	cruiser	2380		<u> </u>	Captain Wm. A. Henderson	Singapore
Jordelia	cruiser 3rd class	2380	10	2420	Captain H. T. Grenfell	Rongkong
&k	g-bi. 3rd class coast defence	363	3	340		In regerve
Sapoir	gunboat 2nd class	465	4	470	LicutCom. Reginald Y. Smith	
lrebrand	gunboa: 2nd class	455	4	460	LientCom. Denison	bhanghai
limalaya	troopship	2079	<u> </u>		Captain Robt. F. Hammick	Hongkong
Iyacinth	cruiser	1420		الم المستقيد المارة	Captain Robt, W. Craigio	On a cruise
mpérieuso*	twinscrew battle ship	8400	10	10000	Captain William H. May	Hongkong
cander	cruiser 2nd class	4300	10	1500	Cuptein Burges Watson	Hougkong
innet	gun-vesse 2nd class	756	5	1050	Commander Smythies	Hongkong
<b>I</b> erlin	gunboat 2nd class	430	4	430	Lieut. Com. G. H. Yongo	Hongkong
lutine	qoola	1130	10	1120	Commander J. H. Martin	Kobe
)rion	f twin-screw battle ship	4870	4	4040	Captain Hy. J. Carr	Singapore
M	2nd class armored				Captain E. G. Rason	
lover	cruiser	1720		3500	Commander R. W. White	Hongkong
orpoise	cruser	1730 830	3	690	Capt. The Hen. F. C. Vereker	Hongkong
lambler	surveying vessel	715	6	1200	LieutCom. W. Maitl. Dougall	On a cruise
lattler	gunboat 1st class corvette	4000			Captain Hall	Hongkong Yokohama
evern	torpedo mining launch	150		- <del></del>	Capturi III	Hongkong
olent	gun-yesses 2nd class	756	5	1010	Com. TheHon. Richard Bingham	Hongkong
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orpedo Boat No. 36		95	🖃	, i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i		In reserve
weed	g-bt. 3rd class coast defence		3 ′			In reserve
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anderer	Bloop	925	4	750	Commander Geo. A. Giffard	Yekohama
Viverp	coast defence ship, armoured	2750	, A	1450		Hongkong

\* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, K C.B. V.O., Commander-in-Chief.

H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and adective horse powers are given according to B. M. Navy list.

#### Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig	Tons	Guns.	H.P.	Caplain.	ir here at.
Admiral Korniloff	l Korniloff Russian armored cruiser		18	2000	Captain Alexeyeff	Hongkong
Admiral Nakhimoff	Russian armored cruiser	8000	22	8000	Captain Fedotoff	Amoy
Alpout	Kustian gumboat	800		<u>.</u>	Captain Perenego	Nagasaki
Amiranto Barroso	Braziliun cruiser	2000	-	Taring Police	Capt. Custocio José de Mello	Nagosaki
Aragon	Spanish cruiser	1908		-	Captair A. Soler	On a cruise
Aspio	French gunboat	470	4 1	4£0	Commander Malopert	Haiphong:
Chassour	French despatch-vessel	<del></del> .			Captain Bagard	Manila
Crayssor	Russian corvette	1234		· · · · ·	Captain P. Bas brasoff	Hongkong
Djiggit	Russian cruiser	1200		<del>-</del>	Commander Nikonoff	Singapore
Liun	German gunboat	489		·	Captain Ascher	Hongkong -
Leipzig	German cruiser	2262			Captein Pluddemann	Hongkong
Luker	French gunboat	485	•	425	Captain Neny	Topron
Mandjoor	Russian gun-vessol	1100	9	1200	Captain Tchuknin	
Mariou	U. B. corrette	1900	7	1170	Commander Dyer	Nagasaki
Monucacy	U. S. aloop	1370	6	1470	LieutCom. Reminger	Yokohama
Omata	U. S. cervette	2400	12	1150	Oapt. McNair	Yokohama
Palos	U. S. gunbesi	120	6	600	LeutCom. Oraig	Negosaki
Pluvier	French gunboat	540		420	Lieut,-Commander Fourest	On a croise
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	540			Captain J. R. Santa Barbara	Macao
Scudre	French tensport				Captain Raoni	Haiphong
Sir o itch	Russian croiser	800	1.	1000	Commander Kasherininoff	Shanghai
Swatara	corvette				Commander John McGowan	Kobe
Tejo	Portuguers gunbest	500	3	100	LieutCom C. R. Caminha	Macao
Tarenne	French frigate	6880	12	4250	Captain Aubry de la Nos	Haiphong
Villers	French ertiser				Captain Mayet	Shanghai
Viper	French gunbent	480		4.95	Commander Goudet	Canten
Wladimir Monomakh	Russian ironclad frigate	6200	18	7200	Captain Doobasoff	
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